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### Position:

Research Program
Specialist III (Demography)
(12 Month Limited Term)

## Position #:

917-190-5770-001

# Salary Range:

\$5,831 - \$7,087

#### Issue Date:

March 22, 2013

#### Contact:

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## Location:

600 Bercut Drive Sacramento, CA 95811

## Final Filing Date:

April 22, 2013 (Statewide)

Individuals who are currently in this classification, or are eligible for lateral transfer or promotion, or are reachable on a certification list may apply. SROA/SURPLUS candidates will be given priority.

For permanent positions, SROA and surplus candidates should attach "surplus letters" to their application. Failure to do so may result in your application not being considered.

Submit a Std.678 State Application and Resume to:

# BOARD OF STATE AND COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

ATTN: Stefanie Reyes 600 Bercut Drive Sacramento, CA 95811

Please write "917-190-5770-001" on your application and indicate the basis of your eligibility in the job title section. Applications without this information may be rejected.

The Board of State and Community Corrections provides statewide leadership, coordination, and technical assistance to promote effective state and local efforts and partnerships in California's adult and juvenile criminal justice system, including providing technical assistance and coordination to local governments related to realignment.

Applications will be screened and only the most qualified will be interviewed.

The selected candidate considered for the advertised position will be required to undergo a fingerprint clearance and any offer of employment will be contingent upon live scan fingerprint results.

Position may be extended to the full 24 months or become permanent at a later date.

# Scope of Position:

Under the direction of the Deputy Director of Administration, Research and Program Support (CEA III), with lead direction from the Research Specialist V, the Research Program Specialist III coordinates and administers research studies of moderate scope and complexity. Working in conjunction with the Research Specialist V, this position will design and conduct periodic statewide surveys to gather data from local and state corrections agencies regarding a wide range of issues and establish survey methodologies that range from focus groups to sophisticated statewide "polls" requiring knowledge of complex survey sampling techniques and the use of complex statistical procedures. This position will develop requests for proposal rating procedures for large scale grant programs, train raters to ensure the reliability of the ratings; and use complex analytical and statistical procedures to analyze the ratings to reach final recommendations.

## **Duties and Responsibilities:**

(Candidates must perform the following functions with or without reasonable accommodations.)

- Conduct/direct complex studies to contribute to the body of scientific evidence
  for interventions designed to prevent or reduce delinquent, self-destructive
  and/or criminal conduct. Perform research studies that are characterized by
  true experimental designs, wherein subjects are randomly assigned to either
  treatment or control conditions and examine various treatment interventions.
- Gather and analyze juvenile and adult detention information for the purposes of
  assessing the current status of the California detention system, including
  statewide local Community Corrections Partnership (CPP) plans. Work with
  other subordinate research staff to research mandated reports, Biennial
  Legislative Reports, employment research and BSCC special reports and
  projects. Analyze the impact of state realignment efforts, provide technical
  assistance to stakeholders, and analyze program evaluations. Collect,
  evaluate, publish and disseminate statistics and other information on the
  condition and progress of criminal justice within the state.
- Work in conjunction with information technology staff to contribute in the design
  of internet-based data collection systems to ensure their reliability and validity.
   Design and direct the development of new research programs assigned to the
  BSCC.

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- Conduct periodic statewide surveys to gather data from local and state
  corrections agencies regarding a wide range of issues; prepare and report
  findings to local constituents, the BSCC Board, or other interested parties;
  establish survey methodologies that range from focus groups to sophisticated
  statewide "polls" requiring knowledge of complex survey sampling techniques
  and the use of complex statistical procedures.
- Develop requests for proposals (RFP's) and associated proposal rating
  procedures for large scale legislatively-funded grant programs, train raters to
  ensure the reliability of the ratings; use complex analytical and statistical
  procedures, including the development of databases, to analyze the ratings to
  reach final funding recommendations for approval by the BSCC Board.

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